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SUBJECT: INDIA ARTICLE XXVIII RENEGOTIATIONS

REFERENCES: (A) GATT L/3831; (B) L/3874; (C) STATE 195613

1. ON OCTOBER 17, THE TRADE STAFF COMMITTEE APPROVED DOCUMENT 73-54 WHICH IS BEING POUCHED TO GENEVA TO SUPPORT SUBJECT NEGOTIATIONS. FOLLOWING CONSTITUTES INSTRUCTION SECTION OF TSC PAPER.

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2. USREP SHOULD: (A) SEEK ASSURANCE THAT THE REVISED RATES

LISTED IN COLUMN 5 OF L/3874 ARE TO BE RETAINED IN SCHEDULE XII, I.E., THAT CONCESSIONS ON THE FORTY-TWO ITEMS ARE BEING MODIFIED AS NOTIFIED AND ARE NOT BEING WITHDRAWN; (B) ESTABLISH OUR CLAIM FOR COMPENSATION AS INDICATED IN ATTACHMENTS 3 AND 4 OF TSC DOC 73-54: (1) INR'S DOLS. 6.7 MILLION (28 ITEMS); (2) PRINCIPAL SUPPLIER DOLS. 2.0 MILLION (4 ITEMS); AND (3) SUBSTANTIAL SUPPLIER DOLS. 712,000 (2 ITEMS); (C) PRESENT THE INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE WITH THE US REQUEST LIST (ATTACHMENT 2) AND STATE THAT WE WILL EXPECT ALTERNATIVE OFFERS IN THE EVENT THAT INDIA IS UNABLE TO SATISFACTORILY RESPOND TO OUR REQUESTS; (D) REMIND THE INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE THAT WE EXPECT A LEVEL OF COMPENSATION FOR INCREASES OF BOUND RATES OF INTEREST TO

THE US IN KEEPING WITH OUR INTERPRETATION OF PART IV OF THE GATT, INCLUDING ARTICLE XXXVI:8, AS IT APPLIES TO RENEGOTIATIONS UNDER ARTICLE XXVIII. INDICATE ALSO THAT SELECTION OF ITEMS IN US REQUEST LIST DESIGNED SPECIFICALLY TO TAKE INTO ACCOUNT PROVISIONS OF PART IV RELATING TO ARTICLE XXVIII RENEGOTIATIONS. (E) REMIND THE INDIAN REPRESENTATIVE OF THEIR OBLIGATION UNDER ARTICLE XXVIII TO COMPLETE RENEGOTIATIONS BY JUNE 30, 1974 IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TERMS OF THE MARCH 16 WAIVER (L/3831), AND AS APPROPRIATE, PRESS FOR A DEFINITE DATE AS TO WHEN AN OFFICIAL RESPONSE TO THE US REQUESTS CAN BE EXPECTED. KISSINGER

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